

## **Christmas and New Year's Holiday Closures, Recycling in Gaithersburg**

**Gaithersburg, MD (December 14, 2018)** In observance of the Christmas and New Year's holidays, City of Gaithersburg facilities and offices will be closed on Monday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 25, 2018, and Tuesday, January 1, 2019. While many facilities will be operating on regular schedules leading up to these holidays, please note that staffing levels may be lighter than normal.

Gaithersburg Holiday Facility Schedule:

The Olde Towne and Robertson Park Youth Centers will be closed December 24 through January 1, with the exception of Friday, December 28, when both centers will be open from noon to 6 p.m.

### **Monday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 25, 2018**

- All City facilities are closed.
- The Winter Lights Festival is closed on December 25.
- The Administrative Offices of the Gaithersburg Police Station are closed. Police patrol will remain on duty. For emergencies please call 911. For non-emergencies, please dial 301-279-8000 for dispatch.

### **Monday, December 31, 2018**

- The Gaithersburg Aquatic Center will be closed.
- The Activity Center, Casey Community Center, Arts Barn and Kentlands Mansion will close at 5 p.m.

### **Tuesday, January 1, 2019**

- All City facilities are closed.
- The Administrative Offices of the Gaithersburg Police Station are closed. Police patrol will remain on duty. For emergencies please call 911. For non-emergencies, please dial 301-279-8000 for dispatch.

The collection of recycled materials for residents whose regular recycling day is Tuesday, December 25, 2018, will take place the PRECEDING Saturday, December 22. The collection of recycled materials for residents whose regular recycling day is Tuesday, January 1, 2019, will take place the PRECEDING Saturday, December 29. This includes newspaper, mixed paper, corrugated cardboard, and commingled materials, as well as brush, branches, grass clippings, leaves and other yard trimmings, picked up by the City's recycling contractor.

Bulk pick up for residents whose regular bulk pick up day is Tuesday, January 1, will take place the following Tuesday, January 8.

Regular trash and garbage collection for City residents is handled by private contractors. Please contact your HOA or your private contractor regarding the holiday collection schedule for these materials.

For more information on recycling please contact the City's Department of Public Works at 301-258-6370, or visit the City's website [www.gaithersburgmd.gov](http://www.gaithersburgmd.gov).

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